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Sentiment and Sensation.

The soldiers' memorial day was generally observed throughout the country, and in some of our larger cities the occasion was made more than ever one of great public festivity. A custom which had its origin among the devoted women of the South, has, in its adoption at the North, undergone a marked change, both in the manner of its observance and the quality of its sentiment. What was at first a sequestered exhibition of the mourning sympathy and tender consecration of wife, sister or mother, has now become a grand public sensation, in which the elements of seclusion and sacredness are almost lost in exultant display and plausible publicity. Such, at least, would be the inference from reading the published accounts. We are informed that in New York city "the processions were long, the crowds beyond accurate calculation, the orations equal to the most ambitious Fourth of July efforts, the music up to the fullest requirements in point of quantity at least, while the peculiar feature which distinguished this from other festival days—the decorating of soldiers' graves—was carried out with such a display of flowers and plants as has probably never before been witnessed upon this memorial day."

An account coming from Brattleboro, Vt., where Col. Jas. Fisk is buried, states that an elegant marble monument of the most elaborate design and expensive material has been erected over the sacred spot, and inscribed in large letters, FISK, JR. Four life-size marble figures sit at the four corners, and symbolize the pursuits to which the Colonel devoted his career. One represents "Railroads," another "Music and the Drama," a third "Steamboats," and a fourth has a bag of money in one hand, a rod entwined by a serpent in the other, and a wreath on his head surmounted by an eagle. This suggestive design, is meant for "Commerce." The mourners, bearing a profusion of flowers, white doves, and other emblems, rode to the cemetery on the morning of the 30th, preceded by a band of music and followed by about five thousand people, "many of them being the first people of the town." After the Fisk ceremonies were over the exercises of decorating the graves of deceased soldiers under the auspices of Post Sedgwick, G. A. R., occurred.

We can but hope that the Brattleboro reporter is in error when he states that many of "the first people" followed the procession in honor of the lamented Colonel, who can hardly be recalled as a martyr in any true or noble sense of the term—either through public or private virtues.

It may be questioned whether the making of Decoration Day by legal enactment one of the great public holidays, as has been done in some States, is particularly fortunate.

School Discipline.

A matter of no small importance in our public schools is that of discipline. As is well known, corporal punishment is prohibited by law, and the trustees and teachers in our schools have felt obliged to resort to other means for enforcing the rules and regulations. It is maintained by some parents that their children have been punished by methods which they consider far more objectionable than the now disused ferule.

We notice that among the exercises of the Teachers' Association, which meets to-morrow at Irvington, is announced a discussion upon this very subject. The combined views of so many teachers cannot fail to throw a light of practical experience and a weight of matured opinion upon this subject of discipline which will be of much importance. We shall await with interest the result of the discussion.

Appropos of the same matter is a recent case of corporal punishment in Orange, which was before the County Court last week. We are indebted to the Orange Chronicle for information in regard to the case. A boy named Edward G. Roff, 13 years old, who attended one of the Orange schools was punished by the principal, Mr. Cuts, for refusing to perform some exercise upon the blackboard. Nothing further was heard of the matter until one day last week, when Mr. Cuts was summoned to give bail for his appearance in Court, the Grand Jury having found an indictment against him under the general State law prohibiting corporal punishment in the schools. The trial took place in the Court of Quarter Sessions, last Saturday, in Newark, before Judge Titworth and his associates. Mr. Wilberforce Freeman, counsel for defendant, admitted the whipping, but claimed that it was legal under the rules and regulations of the Orange Board of Education. He claimed that under a supplement to the general State law prohibiting corporal punishment, approved April 12th, 1867, corporal punishment was allowable in schools under the control of Boards of Education.

The prosecutor in response, made the point that no by-law of a Board of Education could overrule a State law, and as long as that law remained on the Statute book, corporal punishment was illegal.

Judge Titworth rendered his decision, on Monday. He quoted the law organizing the Board of Education of Orange, which provides that the schools in this city shall be under the control of the Board of Education, and that the board shall establish rules for the government of the schools. By these acts, he said, the legislature evidently intended to place the public schools of Orange under the control of the Board of Education and repeal all statutes inconsistent with that act. By the rules of the Board the principal is authorized to inflict corporal punishment; and if the punishment complained of in this case was inflicted in accordance with that rule, he held that the defendant had not committed an indictable offense.

The prosecutor expressed his surprise at the Judge's decision and asked that the opinion should be reviewed either by Judge Dupue or the Supreme Court, feeling that this Court must be mistaken in its construction of the law.

Mr. Freeman, Mr. Cuts's counsel, preferred that the case be reviewed by the Supreme Court. Judge Titworth thereupon said that he would certify the case to the Supreme Court.

Bloomfield Library Association.

The annual meeting of this association was held at Mr. H. Pierson's office on Wednesday evening. Dr. J. A. Davis, the President, read a report from which it appears that the total amount of stock subscribed is \$24,624, of which there has been paid in \$4,227. From this report we also learn that it had been resolved at a former meeting, to proceed to erect the library building when \$30,000 had been subscribed. This had not been done, as yet, and it was thought that of the money already subscribed a considerable portion could not be counted upon for various reasons. The President, in his report, showed the necessity of taking definite action in regard to building, in order to prevent a further shrinkage of the subscriptions, and to provide for the young men and citizens generally what they so greatly need—a public hall.

He also stated, in effect, that at a recent meeting of the directors, various building plans were discussed. It had been proposed to take another lot and put up a smaller and plainer building, at less expense than would be incurred in erecting a large hall upon a corner lot. It was thought the smaller hall and library would subserve the purposes of the association for a few years and could then be disposed of at an advance upon the first cost, and a fine building then put up on the site now owned by the association.

This and other plans were discussed by the stockholders present, and the project which seemed to be most in favor was that of building at once upon the lot corner of Broad and Liberty streets. There was, however, a disposition to reject or modify the plans drawn by Architect Holly. The Library erected by the East Orange Association, at a cost of about \$22,000, was mentioned and spoken of as being a fine building, and costing much less than that in contemplation by the Bloomfield association. It was apparent, from the desultory discussion which was had, that the cost of building at the present time would be about ten per cent. lower than one year ago; also that the disposition of the stockholders generally was to build well, but with strict economy. Among other suggestions we recall one made by Mr. Hedden, that the excessive architects fees, amounting to 24 per cent. on the cost of the building, could be saved by employing a resident builder as superintendent. From the earnestness and unanimity of opinion expressed, it is reasonable to announce that ground will now be broken, and that our long-contemplated public hall and library will soon become a reality.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted at the close of the meeting: Resolved, That the stockholders' present desire to express their earnest conviction of the desirability and necessity of carrying forward the enterprise which they have in hand to its full completion. And it is the sense of this meeting that the Directors should proceed at as early a day as practicable to adopt plans and procure specifications for a Library Hall, and to erect the same for the use of the citizens of Bloomfield.

An election for Directors for the ensuing year resulted in the choice of the following named gentlemen:

Dr. J. A. Davis, Messrs. A. T. Morris, J. F. Randolph, J. B. Reford, T. W. Lang, Stroth, Thos. Mc Gowan, E. Macfarlan, J. A. Hedden, Horace Pierson, J. W. Snelcker, W. K. Williamson, John H. Chambers and D. G. Garabrant.

Secretary Richardson having at last resigned, the President on Monday nominated Gen. B. H. Bristow as his successor. Mr. Bristow was promptly confirmed by the Senate. On Tuesday the House passed a bill which, if it becomes a law, must strike a powerful blow at Mormonism. It excludes polygamists from juries and gives the administration of civil and criminal justice exclusively to the "Gentiles." Heretofore it has been impossible to procure convictions for the alleged crime of polygamy in Utah, so long as men who practiced it were in the jury-box. The statute against a plurality of wives has been inoperative. The bill which passed the House by a vote of 155 to 59 is a bold stroke at the whole system.

Westminster Sunday School Anniversary.

The fourth anniversary of the Sunday School connected with the Westminster Presbyterian Church, was held at the Church building Sunday evening last. The audience room was most tastefully decorated with a great profusion of ferns and flowers, the arrangement of which did much credit to the persons having the preparation in charge. After the usual opening exercises, the Reports of the Secretary and Treasurer were read. This report showed that the names of one hundred and ninety-three scholars, and twenty-seven teachers are enrolled upon the school record. The average attendance had been one hundred and twenty-seven scholars, and twenty-two teachers. One death only has taken place during the last twelve months. The Superintendent, Mr. G. P. Ludlam, made a few remarks, after which he presented a copy of Bunyan's Pilgrims' Progress to such scholars as had been regular in their attendance each Sabbath of the year. The address of the evening, was made by Rev. J. S. Ostrander of Newark. It was instructive not only, but very interesting to old and young. Dr. Kennedy, the Pastor, added a few remarks in his ever-pleasing manner. The singing was particularly fine, and formed no small part of the enjoyable exercises.

Although no formal arrangements were made for the observance of Decoration Day in Bloomfield, the attention given to this subject in THE RECORD last week was the means of awakening a much more general respect than usual for the memory of our deceased soldiers. About one hundred persons met at the Cemetery, and a table in the house at the entrance was laden with flowers. Although no contributions had been asked for, a box of fine flowers was sent to this office from the greenhouses of Mr. Rassbach, and which proved a very acceptable donation. Among those present at the Cemetery were Messrs. Peloubet and Page, of the Board of School Trustees. With the valuable aid of Mr. O'Hara, who has charge of the Cemetery, these gentlemen led the way to the soldiers' graves, which were strewn with flowers by the ladies, gentlemen and children who made up the procession. Except this simple but impressive ceremony there were no other exercises.

The people of Bloomfield, Montclair and vicinity should be on their guard to avoid imposture by a young man of good address, but who is evidently a fraud. He has represented himself as an agent for Methodist and other publications, for which he solicits orders and in some instances has obtained money in advance. He is thoroughly posted in matters pertaining to the Methodist church, but from the fact that he has given his name as "Jeffreys" in Montclair and "McBride" in Bloomfield, and from other suspicious circumstances, he is believed to be entirely unworthy of confidence.

X. Y. Tribune: They tried a pump case in Burlington County, N. J., the other day. A sued B for a pump placed in B's well. B pleaded that as the pump would not pump it was no pump at all. The jury, highly intelligent, no doubt, after being out a good many hours found the extraordinary verdict that "the plaintiff take out the pump and box the scrapper holes further up." Whether this may be considered a verdict for the plaintiff or defendant we are not Coke upon Lyttleton enough to determine.

A Commissioners' real estate sale, being property of the late H. J. Davis, took place Tuesday afternoon, on the premises, east of the canal, between Montgomery avenue and Liberty street. The attendance was good and the bidding quite spirited. S. E. Perry was the auctioneer. Seven building lots, averaging 50x110 ft., were sold. The average price obtained per lot was about \$190, the entire proceeds of the sale being \$1,300.

The first Strawberry Festival of the season is announced for this (Friday) evening, at the Berkeley School House, under the auspices of the Union Sunday School. The School is in a most flourishing condition, but still needs the aid and support of its friends. We trust the occasion of to-night will be one of enjoyment to those who attend as well as profitable to the treasury of the School.

Father Boehm, the oldest living clergyman of the Methodist Church, will visit Bloomfield and engage in the services of the M. E. Church next Sunday morning. This venerable minister will be ninety-nine years old next Tuesday. He is still hale and hearty, and in full possession of his mental faculties.

At a late meeting of the Presbytery of Newark, the question of establishing a church in Livingston was referred to Rev. Dr. Berry, of Montclair, Rev. Mr. Berry, of Caldwell, and Elder Philip Doremus, of Montclair.

Charles Farrand, one of our oldest, wealthiest, and best known citizens, died at his residence on Wednesday morning, after a brief illness, from pneumonia. His funeral is to take place to-morrow at 2 P. M.

A Union rehearsal for the Sunday School Celebration to come off on the 17th inst., was held in the First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday night. There was an attendance of about 200, notwithstanding the storm.

Health Ordinance.

The following ordinance in regard to the abatement and removal of nuisances in Montclair has been put in force by the Town Committee:

Be it ordained by the Township Committee of Montclair as follows:

1. The Township Committee of said Township, shall, and may, from time to time appoint and remove one of their own number to be known under and by the name of Health Officer of the Township, whose duty it shall be to abate and remove the several nuisances hereinafter declared and defined under the direction of the said Committee to sue for and collect any and all penalties, which may be incurred by any violation or violations of this ordinance.

2. No person shall throw or place or suffer his or her servant or other members of his or her family to throw or place any carcass, carrion, blood, putrid meat, or fish, offal, night soil, ashes, decayed vegetables, garbage, shells, straw, shavings, dirt, filth, rubbish, or any offensive or unwholesome substance or liquid whatever, in, into or upon any street, brook, stream or public place of said Township; the same being hereby severally declared and defined to be nuisances.

3. No person shall suffer or permit any night soil, sewerage, blood, drainage from any sink, privy or cess-pool, or any other noxious or offensive substance or liquid to flow or pass from the premises by him or her occupied, in, into or upon any street, brook, stream or highway of said Township; the same being hereby declared and defined to be nuisances.

4. In case of any such nuisances being committed or permitted by any such person or persons, it shall be the duty of the said Health Officer to notify him, her or them to abate and remove the same, within six hours after the service of such notice, under a penalty of ten dollars for each and every failure so to abate and remove the same, and in the event of the failure of such person or persons so offending and so notified, to comply with said notice within the time aforesaid, then the said Health Officer shall abate and remove the said nuisance, proceed to collect the said penalty in the manner provided by law.

Ordained, Montclair, May 27th, 1874.

An effort will be made at the next session of the Legislature to have a bill passed providing for the erection of a State Prison at Snake Hill, Hudson county. The convict labor in the quarries would soon liquidate the investment.

The rentals from the East Orange Library building, according to the Secretary's report, amount to \$2,100.

East Orange will raise \$9,000 by special taxation for lighting streets this year.

The Essex County Teachers' Association meets at Irvington on Saturday, June 6th.

Obit.

FARRAND—In Bloomfield, June 31, Charles Farrand, aged 75 years.
Funeral from his late residence on Saturday, June 6th, at 2 P. M.

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Resolved, That all applications for Tilled Townships must be made to the Township Committee on or before the first day of July next, and that no applications will be considered which are not made in accordance with the above; also that this Resolution be published in the Bloomfield "Record." (A true copy.)

JOHN F. BOLTON, Township Clerk.

Bloomfield, N. J., April 24, 1874.

Bloomfield

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Ladies' Relief

The Bloomfield Relief during the winter of election of officers, the were instructed to carry out as in their opinion ally relieve the suffering residing within our township consisted of ladies denomination in the examination of all applications been referred. Each carefully examined, and serving, assistance was delay.

It is but justice to state, that with single dollar has been of the applicants. It was taken by the Executive Treasurer was instructed that.

That we have made not deny. Such has regret is that these society, and not direct workings, did not inf families who have been bestowed. We have we have been able to tion. "Merry" has we have erred, surely should be for money should be pitiable.

Never before has from annoyance of the past winter. Our for as they never have and beauty of annual received a fuller convincing assurance they have learned to had before disliking, friendly.

And now the so treasury, not only, but This indebtedness at delays have occurred bills. From the state of obligations still to Are there none who cancel this liability? Receipts Disbursements

Over-paid, Bills still unpaid, Outstanding bills no

Any contributions will be acknowledged

Bloomfield, N. J.

Mining

Editor Record:

I have just received from a friend a letter in which he is dated at New After alluding to continues: "I am in this and adjacent flattering prospecting quantities from low the surface and ties in deeper shaft operation one handling me from every shaft to a greater large deposit. I am nothing—our contri- tion for the mineral the ground, really using two shovels get 61 cts. per lb. We pay 24 cts. for 1 per cent. commission see if we get sufficient right. We have so 20 and some 10,0 in all. This is a named Boston. It is of Springfield, Mo. It is all woods for every direction and 200 miles. We have Office and hope to have a small supply our goods 30 miles Aside from the mid houses and families store. Snakes of here—black snakes from 2 to 6 feet. Wolves, sheep, blue are plentiful, only drove a man up a his own house and are no roads here, there is not something, it seems to me simply and only to together.

I go to Omaha,

Geo. R. Bates.

